

FACT SHEET



California Bicycle Advisory Committee
Meeting
August 4, 2016

THE PLAN

- A Caltrans plan for non-motorized transportation facilities on the State system and improved connectivity with transit, passenger rail, high speed rail, and local and regional networks.
- A statewide policy plan, not a project list.
- Will not replace existing policies and plans at the local level, but will complement local and regional efforts.
- Incorporate statewide strategies and recommendations for all elements of bicycle and pedestrian project planning, funding, design, delivery and maintenance on State highway system facilities.
- Caltrans coordination with local agency efforts: While the plans goals, objectives, and strategies will focus on what Caltrans can achieve, there are several topics in which the plan can provide recommendations to a statewide audience. This may include: Promoting Active Transportation; Active Transportation Program; Highway Design Manual; Local Assistance Processes; Guidance and Reference.

ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- Convened 3 of 6 **Technical Advisory Committee Meetings**
 - Next meeting – September 23
 - Refer to www.cabikepedplan.org
- Convened 3 **Policy Advisory Committee Meetings**
 - Meets every other month
 - Next Meeting – August 23
- Completed **Existing Documentation Working Paper** (March)
 - Background information such as existing reports, plans, policies, and design guidance
- Conducted 10 statewide **Regional Agency and Stakeholder Forums** (May/June)
 - Inter-agency workshops coordinating on active transportation topics
 - Event locations: Redding, Oakland, Fresno, Riverside, L.A., San Diego, San Luis Obispo, Folsom, Bishop, Eureka
 - Approximately 180 agency staff participated
 - Final report to come in August; documents common coordination topic themes; to be posted on website

- Stakeholder open-house followed agency meeting to provide early input on emerging objectives and strategies
- **Online Survey**
 - Closed June 30
 - Approximately 2,850 responses
 - Question types: user priorities, conditions, demographics
 - Final assessment of data expected August; to be posted on website

ONGOING and CURRENT TASKS

- 1) Drafting **Goals and Objectives**.
- 2) Formulating **Draft Strategies**.
- 3) **Caltrans Implementation Assessment** – beginning in late July through early August the project team will meet with headquarters Division Chiefs and applicable staff to assess draft strategies and other division needs.
- 4) **State Bike Map** –to begin July. Map may or may not be complete by time of final plan. Process for development of map to be outlined.
- 5) **Data Needs and Performance Measures** – task to begin in August.

UPCOMING TASKS through FEBRUARY 2017

- 1) Continued meetings of TAC and PAC
- 2) Webinar(s) TBD
- 3) Draft Plan – December
- 4) Public Review / Public Engagement
- 5) Final Plan due February 2017